IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.RAMKUMAR

TUESDAY, THE 4TH DECEMBER 2007 / 13TH AGRAHAYANA 1929

Crl.Rev.Pet.No. 4340 of 2007()

CRA.178/2003 of ADDL. SESSIONS COURT, ALAPPUZHA
CC.517/2000 of JUDL.MAGISTRATE OF FIRST CLASS, RAMANKARI

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REVN. PETITIONER:

T.K.MOHANDAS,THUNDICHIRAYIL HOUSE,
PERUMTHURUTHU,MUHAMMA P.O., ALAPPUZHA.

BY ADV. SRI.DENIZEN KOMATH
SRI.SHERRY J. THOMAS

RESPONDENTS:

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1. P.R.PRASANTH, PRANAVAM HOUSE,
S.N.PURAM, KANJIKUZHI,ALAPPUZHA.

2. STATE OF KERALA REPRESENTED BY THE
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA,
ERNAKULAM.

BY ADV. SRI. RAVEENDRA BABU, PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
SRI.BAIJU JOHN

THIS CRIMINAL REVISION PETITION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 04/12/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

V. RAMKUMAR, J.

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Crl.R.P. No. 4340 OF 2007

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Dated this the 4th day of December, 2007

ORDER

The accused in C.C. No.517 of 2000 on the file of the Judicial First Class Magistrate, Ramankary for an offence punishable under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, challenges the conviction entered and the sentence passed against him concurrently by the courts below.

2. Pending this revision, the parties have settled the matter. Crl.M.A.No. 12830 of 2007 has been filed under Section 147 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 seeking permission to record the composition entered into between the revision petitioner and the complainant. The said petition has been signed by both the revision petitioner as well as the complainant and their respective counsels. In the light of this development, the aforementioned composition is recorded and it will have the effect of an acquittal of the revision petitioner within the meaning of Sec. 320 (8) Cr.P.C. The revision petitioner/accused shall be directed to be released from prison forthwith unless his continued detention is found necessary in connection with any other case against him.

This Crl. R.P. is disposed of as above.

V. RAMKUMAR,JUDGE.

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